

WHEREAS, the membership of the American Business Women's Association is composed of women in varied occupations and professions with more than 65,000 members enrolled in over 1,000 chapters throughout the United States, and

WHEREAS, the membership of the Association is dedicated to elevating the status of all women in business, through appropriate training, the improvement of employer-employee relations, and continuing education, and

WHEREAS, one of the main objectives of this Association is the awarding of scholarships to qualified and deserving women students, and

WHEREAS, this past year ABWA chapters, in conjunction with the Association's national educational fund, have awarded scholarships amounting to over \$400,000;

NOW, THEREFORE, I RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 1973, to be

ABWA SCHOLARSHIP MONTH

and commend this occasion to the citizens of our State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the Great Seal
of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre,
the Capitol City, this 23rd day of Feb-
ruary, in the Year of Our Lord, Nine-
teen Hundred and Seventy-three.

Richard F. Knipper

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LORNA R. HERRING, SECRETARY OF STATE

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